

Intimations.

THE
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GUIDE.

Published by the "CHINA MAIL" Office, Hongkong.

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It is an Abstract of the most important and useful information for the purpose of the Trade with China.

It contains a full and complete list of the principal ports of call, and the names of the principal merchants and agents.

It also contains a full and complete list of the principal commodities of China, and the names of the principal exporters and importers.

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For Sale.

JUST RECEIVED PER FRENCH MAIL STEAMER "CAMBODGE"
A small lot of Gruyere CHEESE, yellow color, of best quality. Price, 60 cents per lb.
Customers are requested to apply at once to
G. DUBOIS & Co.
Hongkong, November 17, 1860. 1867

Just received, ex "Invincible," small lot of **PIE'S BODA WATER AND LEMONADE**
THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY
Hongkong, September 6, 1860.

FOR SALE
FRESH CALIFORNIA HAY AND OATS
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, August 21, 1860.

FOR SALE
CHAMPAGNE
ROBERTS & Co.
Carte Noire, Carte Blanche, Carte Blanche Doree, Gildatour.
SANDER & Co.
Sole Agents for Hongkong and China.
Hongkong, July 8, 1860.

FOR SALE
JULES ROBIN COGNAC
Wm. POSTAU & Co.
Hongkong, August 28, 1860.

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CHAMPAGNE
De St. Marceaux & Co.
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UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR AND LADY MACDONNELL.
W. P. FLOYD
BEGS to announce that he has Re-opened his PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY at the corner of Wyndham and Wellington Streets, where he solicits the inspection of his collection.
Life-size Photographs Portraits in Water Colors or Oil.
Hongkong, August 7, 1860.

CONSULAR NOTIFICATION.
THE Undersigned, in pursuance of the instructions of His Excellency Her Britannic Majesty's Minister at Peking, on Monday, the 14th June, 1860, took over charge of British interests at the Ports of Tientsin, and Taku, and entered on his duties as Acting Consul.
Wm. M. COCKER
BRITISH CONSULATE,
Tientsin, June 15, 1860.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.
THE Market Circular, prepared by the CHAMBER, will in future be issued late on the afternoon of the day, preceding the departure of the fortnightly P. & O. Mail Steamers. Subscribers are requested to send for their copies between the hours of 4 P.M. and midnight.
J. W. WOOD
Club Chambers,
Hongkong, July 20, 1860.

CHRISTMAS MEATS.
THE Undersigned begs to inform the Residents of Hongkong, that he will supply for the Christmas Vacation, Prime Joints of BEEF, VEAL, and MUTTON, on the most reasonable terms. CORNED BEEF, HAMS, and TONGUES, &c., ways on hand, and will be sent addressed by any of the coast steamers, freight free. Any persons requiring joints, will please send their orders by first opportunity, addressed to
L. HUTCHINGS
Comptroller, SWANBY
29, Holywood Road.
Private BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT.
(FORMERLY THE SPANISH CONSULATE).
THIS House commands a good view of the whole harbour, and is comfortably fitted with every convenience for the accommodation of visitors and residents. Private dinners supplied.
C. L. VOLCKMAN
Proprietor.
Hongkong, October 5, 1860.

NOTICE.
IN THE ESTATE OF DOUGLAS LAFRAIR, Deceased.
PROBATE of the last Will and Testament of DOUGLAS LAFRAIR, formerly of Hongkong and lately of Acton, deceased, having been granted to the Undersigned, one of the Executors in the said Will named, All persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby required to pay the amount of their debts forthwith. Persons having Claims against the Estate are hereby required to send in particulars of their Claims to the Undersigned, at the Office of Messrs DOUGLAS LAFRAIR & Co., or to HENRY C. CALDWELL, Esquire, Solicitor, on or before the 31st day of January 1870, after which date no Claims will be received or admitted.
Dated Hongkong, 6th day of July, 1860.
R. E. BAKER
Executor.

SAYLE & Co.,
VICTORIA EXCHANGE,
HONG KONG.
HAY RECEIVED EX MAIL STEAMERS.
Large assortment of MILLINERY, BONNETS, and HATS, of the latest fashions.
A Choice assortment of SILK, MUSLIN, and GREENADINE, for Evening Wear.
A fine assortment of new French FLOWERS, HEAD-DRESSES and FEATHERS.
A large assortment of new TRIMMINGS and FRINGES in all colors.
Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid GLOVES, in white and colors, all sizes.
Gentlemen's Dress Shirts and Felt HATS.
Blue and Green GOSAMERS, &c.
BRYAN'S ESTABLISHMENT,
20, Fookchow Road, Shanghai.
Hongkong, February 3, 1860.

NAGASAKI PATENT SLIP.
THIS SLIP is now available for docking all ships of 1,200 Tons or under, and all work connected therewith, as also in the SHIPWRIGHTS, JOINERS, BOAT-BUILDERS, SPAR-MAKERS, and general departments in under experienced European Superintendence. The SLIP has been most substantially constructed, in a perfectly land-locked and secure position, and has been pronounced by competent authority as equal to any existing works of the same kind.
Charge, for three days use of the Slip, One Dollar, put on, and all labor material, &c., supplied on moderate terms. For further information, apply to
GLOVER & Co.
Nagasaki, Japan.
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THE LONDON & CHINA EXPRESS.
Published in London for the P. & O. Co.'s and French Mail, and contains Summary of Home, Parliamentary, and Foreign News.
Special Correspondents' Letters from Germany, Holland, &c.
Leading Articles on the principal interests of China.
Digest of Home Opinions on China Subjects.
List of Passengers by the current and succeeding Mails.
Naval and Military News.
Births, Marriages, and Deaths.
Commercial, Banking, State Tides, &c.
Markets Reports, Shipping News, Freight, Exchange, &c., from London and the Continent, New York, &c.
Statistics of Imports and Exports.
Supplements.
Statement of each Ship's Cargo for China and Japan, and by the P. and O. Mails.
Subscription—\$12 per Annum. With Special Supplement, \$14.50. Single Copies, 50 cents.
MORRIS & Co.
Agents, Queen's Road.
Hongkong, March 12, 1860.

LONDON AND CHINA EXPRESS.
PUBLISHED at Galle and containing all the latest TELEGRAMS, is delivered with the
CHINA EXPRESS.
TERMS.—To Subscribers to China Express, \$6 per annum; To Non-Subscribers, \$12; Single Copies, 25 cents.
MORRIS & Co.
News Agents.
Hongkong, August 19, 1860.

LAU TI-KEE
It requires no Pomade.
It will cause Hair to grow.
It will promote luxuriant growth.
It will prevent Baldness.
Prepared only by
J. LLEWELLYN & Co.
Medical Hall, Shanghai.
And sold by
G. GLASSE, Victoria Dispensary,
Hongkong.

HAIR WASH
SAIL MAKING.
WILLIAM DOLAN having returned to Hongkong, has resumed the business of SAIL MAKING in all its branches, at his old place in Duddell Street, and solicits the patronage of the Public.
Hongkong, April 29, 1860.

T. E. HAWKINS'S HORSE-DEPOSITORY.
HORSE-SHOEING FORGE,
DUNDRETT STREET,
HONGKONG.
Horses and Ponies carefully broken to Saddle and Harness.
Horses, Ponies, Harness, and Carriages, always on hand for sale.

MORRIS & Co.,
NOTIONERS,
NEWS AND COMMISSION AGENTS,
WELLINGTON STREET,
HONGKONG.

FRIEDEL & Co.
SHIP-CHANDLERS, SAILMAKERS,
GENERAL STOREKEEPERS,
AND
COMMISSION AGENTS,
Queen's Road, HONGKONG.

GEORGE GLASSE,
FIVE YEARS' MANAGER TO
KINGSFORD & Co., PICCADILLY
LONDON, AND 28, PLACE
VENDOME, PARIS.
**ENGLISH AND FOREIGN
CHEMIST.**
VICTORIA DISPENSARY,
HONGKONG.
SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS
SUPPLIED & REFITTED.
Hongkong, May 1, 1867.

ANDREW MILLAR
HOUSE, SHIP, AND STEAM-BOAT
PLUMBER,
COPPERSMITH & BRASSFOUNDER
No. 1, Queen's Road, East,
and Nullah Lane.
Hongkong, October 28, 1868.

E. R. HANDLEY,
(Late Partner of HANDLEY & Co.)
House and Ship Plumber,
Copper Smith, Zinc Worker, and
Gas Fitter,
16, Queen's Road West,
Hongkong, May 24, 1869.

PEARCE AND VINEY,
(Late of Greville's Telegram Company).
30 WILLIAM STREET, MELBOURNE.
TELEGRAPHIC REPORTING, AND
GENERAL AGENTS.
AGENCIES IN ALL THE COLONIES,
At Galle, London, New York, &c.

BROWN, JONES & Co.,
UNDERTAKERS,
MONUMENTS and HEAD-STONES
ERECTED in the Best Style.
LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, on
the Shortest Notice.
Apply at
Hollywood Road, Corner at Aberdeen St.
HOTEL DE FRANCE
A CANTON.
Service comfortable, prix modérés.
20 Mai, 1860.

Insurances.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
(FIRE AND LIFE.)
CAPITAL—Two Millions Sterling.
THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods in Matched on Goods on board Vessels, and on Hulls of Vessels in Hay, and on all other Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.
If preferred, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.
For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information apply to
ANNOLD KARBBERG & Co.
Agents Hongkong and Canton.
Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.
LONDON.
Incorporated 1859.
CAPITAL—£1,000,000.
THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
LIVERPOOL, AND LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANIES.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein.
DOUGLAS LAFRAIR & Co.
Hongkong, September 28, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

NOTICE.
IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE:
FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/2 of the annual rate.
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1/3 do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, 1/4 do.
Above 6 months and not exceeding 9 months, 1/5 do.
Above 9 months and not exceeding 12 months, 1/6 do.
The full Annual Rate.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company.
Hongkong, August 13, 1869.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.
FURTHER notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurances, viz:
Detached and Semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents, 1/2 per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses, used strictly as such, and their Contents, 1/3 per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and the Contents, 1/4 per cent.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company.
Hongkong, March 6, 1866.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY.
FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUTIONS INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.
ESTABLISHED 1809.
CAPITAL £2,000,000
ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,238,927.
ANNUAL REVENUE £497,265.
THE Undersigned Agents at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same.
GILMAN & Co.
Hongkong, June 2, 1864.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Contents, 1/2 per cent.
Other Dwelling-Houses, used strictly as such, and their Contents, 1/3 per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their Contents, 1/4 per cent.
GILMAN & Co.
Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.
Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

Insurances.

NOTICE.
NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.
FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurances, viz:
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/2 of the annual rate.
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1/3 do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, 1/4 do.
Above 6 months and not exceeding 9 months, 1/5 do.
Above 9 months and not exceeding 12 months, 1/6 do.
The full Annual Rate.
GILMAN & Co.
Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.
THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Fookchow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

NOTICE.
MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, viz:
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/2 per cent.
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1/3 do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, 1/4 do.
Above 6 months and not exceeding 9 months, 1/5 do.
Above 9 months and not exceeding 12 months, 1/6 do.
The full Annual Rate.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Agents.
Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.
LIFE ASSURANCE.
THE Undersigned are authorized to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding \$5,000.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.
THE following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:
One month, 1/2 per cent.
Three months, 1/3 do.
Six months, 1/4 do.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
THE Undersigned are prepared to accept risks in the above Company for a period of Ten Days, on Merchandise stored in first class Godowns, at one eighth of one per cent.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
General Managers.
Hongkong, August 26, 1869.

ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
NOTICE.
FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:
Not exceeding 10 days, 1/2 of the Annual Rate.
Not exceeding one month, 1/3 do.
Above 1 month and not exceeding three months, 1/4 do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding six months, 1/5 do.
Above 6 months and not exceeding nine months, 1/6 do.
Above 9 months and not exceeding 12 months, 1/7 do.
The full Annual Rate.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Agents, Alliance Fire Insurance Company.
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.
CAPITAL—Two Millions Sterling.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.
MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.
Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine risks at the current Rates. Policies can be made payable at all the principal ports throughout the World.
MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.
Agents.
Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

NOTICE.
THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE following Rates will be charged in future, for short period Insurances, viz:
Not exceeding 10 days, 1/2 of the annual rate.
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/3 do.
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1/4 do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, 1/5 do.
Above 6 months and not exceeding 9 months, 1/6 do.
Above 9 months and not exceeding 12 months, 1/7 do.
The full Annual Rate.
MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.
Agents the Queen Insurance Company.
Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

Insurances.

NOTICE.
ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.
The Annual Rates for FIRE INSURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will remain as follows, until further notice, viz:
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses (removed from the Town) and their Contents, 1/2 per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses (similarly situated) and their Contents, 1/3 per cent.
Offices and Godowns and their Contents, 1/4 per cent.
Other Risks by special arrangement.
The following rates will be charged for Short Period Policies:
Not exceeding 10 days, 1/2 per cent.
Not exceeding One Month, 1/3 per cent.
Above One Month and not exceeding Three Months, 1/4 per cent.
Above Three Months and not exceeding Six Months, 1/5 per cent.
Above Six Months, 1/6 per cent.
The full Annual Rate of 1 per cent.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
Agents Royal Insurance Company.
Hongkong, September 13, 1869.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in China, SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, June 21, 1864.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.
THE Undersigned, agents for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, February 6, 1867.

BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named COMPANY are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at current rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, April 1, 1866.

POLICIES granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the world at current rates. In addition to the usual brokerage, this Association returns to the assured Fifteen per cent of its yearly profits divided pro rata to the net premium contributed.
RUSSELL & Co.
Secretaries.
Hongkong, June 4, 1869.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above INSURANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks, at the current rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, July 6, 1868.

SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks, at the current rates.
RAYNAL & Co.
Macao, August 4, 1866.

DE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual terms.
SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, August 1, 1866.

DOCKS.
THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.
THE Company call the attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels, to their Establishment at Hongkong and Whampoa, for the DOCKING and REPAIRING of Vessels of all classes. At Hongkong the Company have the only Dock in the harbour—a Granite Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to admit Ships of 350 feet in length, and drawing 25 feet of water. Attached to it the Company have erected powerful Machinery, and are prepared to manufacture and repair marine and stationary Engines, and Steam Machinery of all kinds; to make and repair Boilers of all sizes, or machinery for sugar crushing and refining—shafting, grinding, and every description of Factory or Mill work. A commodious Jetty has been completed, alongside of which Vessels drawing 18 feet of water can lie at any state of the tide; attached to the Jetty are Shears capable of lifting Fifty Tons.
At Whampoa the Company will take Ships at reduced rates.
The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN" can be engaged to tow Vessels to sea, or berth them, at reasonable rates.
For particulars, apply to
ROB. S. WALKER
Secretary.
Company's Office, Queen's Road, Corner of Tre House Lane.
Hongkong, November 1, 1869.

Shipping.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.
The British barque
"ATREVIDA,"
Capt. KINROSS, of 525 tons
Register.
For particulars, apply to
DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, November 4, 1899.

Notices to consignees.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship
"Cathartus" are hereby informed
that this steamship will be loaded
in our Godowns 3 and 4 and 5, and
Godown 5, Marine Lot 1, at ship's expense,
but shippers' risk, and delivery may be had
from the 1st to the 5th Dec., after which
date Godown rent will be charged.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, November 27, 1899.

P. M. S. S. CO.
NOTICE is hereby given that the follow-
ing mentioned Packages will be SOLD
for Freight and Charges, if not claimed
prior to December 28th, 1899, viz.:
Ex S. S. "Colorado," August 8, 1898.
H. (in diamond), 1 case Saddles to G.
Fuller.
Ex S. S. "China," July 8, 1899.
L. & L. (L. & L. C. in diamonds).
20 cases Tobacco, J. H. Ladd to G. B.
Nichols.
T. A. HARRIS,
Agent.
Hongkong, November 26, 1899.

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THE following cases have been landed
and stored at the risk and expense of
the Consignees, who are requested to take
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Ex "Hookey," 23rd August, 1899.
Via A. O. 1 Fortman.
C. BEUTLAND,
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Hongkong, November 24, 1899.

For Sale.

PHOTOGRAPHIC VIEWS of
Pekin and its surroundings.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, November 3, 1899.

Full Size BILLIARD TABLE
by Sherwood, Calcutta, with
Marking Board, Ones, Rests, Balls,
&c., &c., complete.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, November 3, 1899.

FOR SPORTSMEN.
HE Undersigned has received an
assortment of
Breaching and other PISTOLS.
AMMUNITION and REQUISITES for
same, as
CARTRIDGES, 16 and 12 gauge, and
CARTRIDGE CLOSERS, of Metal and
Wood.
OAPS for recapping same.
CARTRIDGES, CARRIERS, & GAME-
BAGS.
POWDER-FLASKS and Shot Pouches.
Double Strap SHOT POUCHES, SLINGS
and Pouch SLINGS.
Elly's Green patent Wire CARTRID-
GES of most useful sizes.
Elly's superior Elastic Concealed Belt
WADDING, etc., etc., of most useful
sizes.

FOR LADIES and Gentlemen.
Pleasure Saloon RIFLES & PISTOLS.
AMMUNITION for same.
And offer the above on reasonable terms.
Wm. SCHMIDT & Co.,
Gunsellers.
Queen's Road Central, Hongkong,
October 16, 1899.

FOR SALE.
(Under power contained in the Mortgage
Deed).
ALL those valuable Premises situate in
the North, formerly occupied by Messrs.
Smith, Kennedy & Co., and now in the oc-
cupation of Messrs. K. Schellhaas & Co.
The Premises are built on Marine Lot No.
101, and are held under Lease from the
Crown for 999 years, subject to a Crown
rent of £30 per annum. The Premises are
spacious and airy, and the ground com-
prises an area of 14,400 square feet.
Also,
Those valuable Premises adjoining the
above, on Western boundary, formerly in
the occupation of the Asiatic Bank, and
built on Inland Lot No. 814. These Pre-
mises are likewise held under a Crown
Lease for 999 years, subject to a Crown
rent of £24 10s. per annum, and the Lot
contains an area of 6,750 square feet.
The above valuable Property will be sold
by Public Auction in Hongkong, on some
early day (of which due notice will be given),
unless previously disposed of by private
contract.
For further particulars, apply to
Messrs. SMITH, ANCHER & Co.,
or
HENRY C. CALDWELL, Esq.,
Solicitor.
Hongkong, 3rd August, 1899.

CANTON.
TO BE SOLD. A substantially built
HOUSE on Shamshui.
For Terms, apply to the present occupiers,
Messrs. MUI & Co.,
October 25, 1899.

BOURJAU, HUBNER & Co.
Hongkong, August 30, 1899.

FROM CALOUTTA, PENANG AND
SINGAPORE.
THE Steamer "Hindostan," having ar-
rived from the above Ports, Consignees
of Cargo by her, are requested to send
in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned
for countersignature, and to take immediate
delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-
sel will be landed and stored at Consignees'
risk and expense.
DAVID SARSON, SONS & Co.
Hongkong, October 20, 1899.

BRITISH SHIP STAR OF THE NORTH,
FROM LONDON.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above
vessel are hereby requested to send in
their Bills of Lading for countersignature
to the Undersigned and take immediate
delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel
will be landed and stored at Consignees'
risk and expense.
BOURJAU, HUBNER & Co.
Hongkong, October 18, 1899.

NOTICES OF FIRMS.
MR. ROBERT JOHNSTONE is author-
ized to sign our Firm per Procuration.
RINDLAY, RICHARDSON & Co.
Yokohama, November 18, 1899.

NOTICE.
THE interest and responsibility of Sir
parties, the late MR. SHAPPOURSE
Bhopalwadi, ceased in our firm on the 4th
instant.
CAWASKE PALLANJE & Co.
Hongkong, November 23, 1899.

NOTICE.
MR. PAUL GIESHARD HUBER, and Mr.
ANSELM GUTZWILLY have been author-
ized to sign our firm here and in China
from this date.
SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, November 13, 1899.

NOTICE.
WE have authorized Mr. CLAUD BUNDS
to sign our Firm from this date.
DREYER & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1899.

NOTICE.
MR. THOMAS H. DE SILVER is admitted
a partner in our firm from the 1st of
October 1899.
L. FRICKEL & Co.
Hongkong, October 21, 1899.

NOTICE.
THE Business of KINNEAR & Co., Foo-
chow, will be carried on from and
after this date under the style and firm of
KINNEAR, LARSEN & Co.
the partners therein being, Mr. WILLIAM
BALFOUR KINNEAR and Mr. THOMAS LAR-
SEN.
WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR.
Foochow, May 1, 1899.

NOTICE.
I HAVE this day established myself as a
PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, ATTRACTION AD-
VISOR and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.
O. LANGDON DAVIES.
Hongkong, July 1, 1899.

NOTICE.
MR. FRITZ RAPP, has been duly author-
ized to sign our Firm per Procuration
from this date.
F. BLACKHEAD & Co.
Hongkong, June 10, 1899.

NOTICE.
THE interest and responsibility of the
late MR. HENRY JAMES MASONSON in
our firm ceased on the 30th June last, and
MR. MONTAGUE EVELYN MONTAGUE was
admitted a partner therein on 1st July.
MARGESSON & Co.
Hongkong, August 2, 1899.

FOR SALE.
SMALL Invoice of DUFFY GORDON &
Co.'s Pale Dry SHERRY, red seal.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, November 28, 1899.

Houses and Lands.

TO BE LET.
WITH Possession from the 1st October
next, the HOUSE AND OFFICE
No. 9, Gough Street, at present occupied
by Messrs. KINROSS BODEN & Co.
Apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, June 30, 1899.

FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET.
No. 1 Pechili Terrace, ELGIN STREET,
neatly furnished with good English-
made FURNITURE, with possession from
1st November.
Apply to
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, October 1, 1899.

FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY.
The well-known A 1 shipper-ship
"ANVARD,"
Capt. WITT, having the greater
portion of her cargo engaged,
will have immediate despatch for the above
ports.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
ROZARIO & Co.
Hongkong, December 4, 1899.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.
SECURITY
Should be the First Consideration in
Insurance Transactions.
THE Directors of the Royal Insurance
Company have the pleasure of supply-
ing the following information to the public,
as evidence of the ample security they
afford to their Assureds:
THE CAPITAL
of the Company, available for the purpose
of meeting any unusual calamity happening
to the Assureds, is:
Two MILLIONS STERLING.
This, with the Accumulated Funds in
Hand, makes the invested resources of the
Company upwards of ONE MILLION SIX
HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS, which
amount is invested as follows:
Invested Funds of the Royal Insurance
Company, 30th June, 1899.
Real Property owned by
the Company ... £219,471 11 3
Mortgages on Freehold
Property ... 33,500 0 0
£200,000 Reduced 3 per
cent. Consols ... 28,085 1 3
India Government 5 per
cent. Debentures ... 100,000 0 0
English Railway Deben-
ture Bonds ... 59,080 17 7
First-class English Rail-
way Preference and
Guaranteed Stocks ... 335,476 11 11
Loans to Local Authori-
ties of various towns in
Great Britain, who have
obtained the sanction of
the Secretary of
State to borrow the
amounts ... 145,560 12 6
Bonds of the Mersey
Docks and Harbour
Board ... 62,341 14 8
Bonds of the British and
Irish Magnetic Tele-
graph Co. ... 10,000 0 0
Bonds of the Liverpool
Corporation ... 5,160 0 0
United States Govern-
ment Stocks ... 101,380 7 10
Canada Bonds and Cana-
da Dominion Stock ... 31,106 11 6
Short Loans on first-class
English Dividend-pay-
ing Stocks with mar-
gins, from 20 to 50 per
cent. on market values
Loans on Security of Life
Policies ... 63,938 8 5
£1,672,366 18 11
The above is a complete
list of the investments of the
Company at the date
specified, in addition to
which the funds are still
further increased, by
amounts constantly vary-
ing, at different periods,
in the hands of the Bank-
ers and Compt's Agents.
At 31st December, 1898,
these stood at ... £168,089 2 0
For the satisfaction of the Public, the
whole of the Securities belonging to the
Company are annually submitted to the
careful scrutiny of two independent Audi-
tors, and the following is an Extract from
their Report to the last Annual Meeting:
"The whole of your Books have been
Audited—every Document, every Account,
every Receipt, your Bank-book, and every
Security—all have been most carefully
looked, and there is not one doubtful Security
in the whole."
THE ACCUMULATIONS OF THE
LIFE DEPARTMENT.
After payment of Loans, Annuities, and
Expenses of every description, have been
as follows:
Funds in Hand at the last
Quinquennial Valuation,
31st Dec., 1884, £621,434 15 5
Added to 31st Dec., 1885, 103,146 7 5
" " " 1886, 124,165 7 5
" " " 1887, 128,683 5 10
" " " 1888, 144,946 12 2
Total Accumulation of the
Life Department on
31st December, 1888,
exclusive of Sharehold-
ers' Capital, ... £1,122,275 8 1
The Directors also think it desirable to
state the business of the Royal has never
been amalgamated with that of any other
Company, and that the Liability of Share-
holders is unlimited.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, November 6, 1899.

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned having received from
Europe a complete Analytical Apparatus,
are now prepared to undertake
organic, inorganic, volumetric, qualitative,
or quantitative analysis, at reasonable
rates.
Address TH. KOFFER or H. KOOK,
Analytical Chemists,
MEDICAL HALL,
Hongkong, Nov. 18, 1899. S.W. n13-70

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.
SHIPS PROTESTS, Extended Protest,
and other Documents translated from
French, Spanish, Italian, Portuguese or
German.
Documents translated from or into CHI-
NESE.
Address, "Translation," care of China
Mail Office,
Hongkong, December, 1899.

THE "ONLY" BOWLING ALLEYS
IN HONGKONG!
UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF
H.R.H. THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH,
K.G., K.T.,
AND THE
OFFICERS OF H.M.S. GALATHEA.

ORIENTAL BOWLING ALLEYS AND
BILLIARD SALOONS,
4, WELLINGTON STREET.

The Proprietor begs respectfully to an-
nounce that the lease to the Hongkong
Club has expired, and that the above es-
tablishment is now at the service of his nu-
merous patrons and the public generally,
also that he has two of the FINEST AMERI-
CAN BILLIARD TABLES ever imported
into Hongkong, made specially for him by
Messrs. STRAHL and HUNTER, of California,
and which are available for use.

Wines and Spirits of the First Quality.
D. BROWNE, Proprietor.
Hongkong, November 17, 1899.

LATEST SHIPPING.
CLEARED.
Mara, for Manila.
Fuyama, for Nagasaki.
Douglas, for E. Coast.
San Lorenzo, for Manila.
Sumner Cloud, for Bombay.
Felix, for Saigon.

SHIPPING REPORTS.
The North German steamer Ta-Ping-
Yao, Captain J. B. Rosewell, from Saigon
via Manila, reports on leaving Cape St.
James had very heavy weather and strong
gales with heavy sea; from Manila had
fine weather and moderate monsoon till
arrival in Hongkong.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.
MAILS will close—
For SWATOW, AMOY & POOCHOW.
For DOUGLAS, on Sunday, the 5th
instant, at 1.30 p.m.
For MANILA, on Sunday, the 5th instant,
at 1.30 p.m.
For SWATOW, AMOY & SHANGHAI.
For NORN, on Tuesday, the 7th in-
stant, at 10.30 a.m.; instead of at
the time previously notified.
For YOKOHAMA, HIOGO, KOBE AND
OSACA.
For MALACCA, at 5 a.m. To-morrow,
Sunday, the 5th instant.
For SHANGHAI, NINGPO, NAGASAKI,
CHEFOO, TIENHSIN, TAKU AND
PEKIN.
For ADEN, at 10 a.m. To-morrow,
Sunday, the 5th instant.
For MANILA.
For JELLA, on Tuesday next,
the 7th instant, at 1.30 p.m.
For INDIA, EUROPE, &c.
For La Compagnie des Services Mari-
times (Messageries Impériales)
Str. CAMBODGE, on Tuesday, the
7th inst. at 11 a.m. To and through
the United Kingdom via Marseilles
to France and other Continental
States (in a closed mail to France);
to Saigon, Singapore, Galle, India,
Aden, Seychelles, Reunion and Mau-
ritius, Suez and Alexandria; after
which no letter can be received.
Letters for Registration will be received
until 10 a.m. on the 7th inst.
Correspondence intended to be forward-
ed by the vessels of the above com-
pany must be superscribed per Messageries
Impériales Packet " " "
Money Orders on any of the Money
Order Offices, in the United King-
dom will be granted until 10 a.m.
on the 7th inst.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.
General Post Office,
Hongkong, December 3, 1899.

NOTICE.
It is hereby notified, by order of His
Excellency Sir Richard Graves MacDon-
nell, that henceforward, the rate of Post-
age chargeable on Packets of Printed
Papers or Patterns of light weight sent
from Hongkong to the United Kingdom
when forwarded via Southampton, will be
as follows:
For a Packet not exceeding one
ounce in weight, ... 2 cents.
For a Packet above one ounce and
not exceeding two ounces, ... 4 cents.
and of double these rates when forwarded
via Marseilles.
Packets of greater weight than two
ounces will remain subject to the same rates
as are chargeable, viz.:
8 cents for every four ounces when for-
warded via Southampton, and
12 cents for every four ounces when for-
warded via Marseilles.
This alteration will apply to Printed
Circulars, Price Lists, Market Reports and
all printed papers other than Newspapers,
as well as to Books and Trade patterns or
samples.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.
General Post Office,
Hongkong, 12th August, 1899.

UNDER DESPATCH.
For Nagasaki, Higo and Yokohama.
For steamer Fuyama, on Sunday, the
5th instant, at daylight.
For Swatow, Amoy and Poochow.—Per
Douglas, on Sunday, the 5th instant, at
8 a.m.
For Shanghai, Ningpo, Nagasaki, Chefoo,
Tien Tsin, Taku and Peking.—Per Aden,
at 11 a.m. to-morrow, Sunday, the 5th in-
stant.
For Manila.—Per barque Delia, on Tues-
day next, the 7th instant.
For Manila.—Per Narraet, at 9 a.m.
to-morrow, Sunday, the 5th instant.
For Swatow, Amoy and Shanghai.—Per
Norna, on Tuesday, the 7th instant, at
11 a.m. instead of at the time previously
notified.
For Yokohama, Higo, Kobe and Osaka.
For Malacca, at 8 a.m. to-morrow, Sun-
day, the 5th instant.

QUOTATIONS.

HONGKONG, 4th December, 1899.
OPIMUM.—Patna, New, ... \$52 1/2
Old, ... 505
Benares, New, ... 515
Old, ... 515
Malwa, ... 550
Persian, ... 550, nom.
COTTON.—BOMBAY, ... 18 a 23
CALCUTTA, ... 15 a 22

Exchange.
Bank, 6 months' sight, ... 4/6
Credit, 6 ... 4/6 a 4/6
On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 225 ...
Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 225 ...
Shanghai, 3 days' sight, Bank, Tls. 75 ...
Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B. ... 8 p. a. prem.
Suez, ... 6 a 6 mace.

Gold.
Mexican, ... 23.20
Gold Leaf, 999 touch, ... 23.20
Gold Bar, ... 4.52
English Sovereigns, ... 4.50
Australian Sovereigns, ... 4.50
Discount, ... 8 a 9
Gas Company Shares, ... 45
H. & W. Pao, Old, ... 5 p. a. disc.
H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, ... 25 p. a. disc.
Do. do. New, ... 14 p. a. prem.
Union Dock, ... 50 p. a. disc.
H. C. & Macao Shares, ... 25 prem.

Temperature.
HONGKONG, 4th December, 1899.
(Taken at Messrs. Falconer & Co.'s Premises,
Queen's Road.)
THERMOMETER.—9 A.M., Dry, ... 70
Do. ... 68
Do. ... 67
Do. ... 67
Self-registered Maximum, ... 72
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RELIGIOUS SERVICES ON SUNDAYS
IN HONGKONG.
St. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL.—Morning, 11
o'clock.—Canon Beach. Afternoon, 4 o'clock.
—Canon Beach. The Holy Communion
is celebrated on the First Sunday in every
month, at the 11 o'clock service, and on
the Third Sunday in every month, at 8.30
a.m.
MORRIS, Morning Service, 11 A.M.; Even-
ing, 8.30 P.M.
ROMAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL.—Wellington
Street. Very Rev. T. Rainaldi, P. P.
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was late. On going up closer to the men Huxtable saw a blow at the sergeant-major with someone making a mark on scratch) on his stomach. The blow had been a severe one but the sergeant-major jumped back and avoided the full force of the blow. Nasser Deen called for help and defended himself as best he could with an umbrella which he carried. Soper apparently tried to pacify Huxtable; and second attack of the first prisoner was prevented by the arrival of P.C. Batnam, who threatened further action against the knife. P.C. Batnam (86) and P.C. Batnam (58) were the chief witnesses in the case after this. On seeing the situation of things the first-named constable accosted the first prisoner, warning Huxtable at once that it was a crime to open a prison door in such a manner, but promising more damage on the person should he persist in doing so. He made no attempt to search or to turn; though the policeman was dressed in coat, waist, vest, shirt and trousers all cut to pieces. Soper seized this dangerous fellow's arm and put him down. Huxtable kept prodding upward at the feet of those even when laid upon his back. There were less than eight eyes on the feet of the two great constables. Soper insisted the constable to take the first prisoner to the second prisoner; and generally applied to smooth matters until the first prisoner was as much as possible. Both prisoners were drunk; but Soper was not violent as his comrades, and Huxtable was noisy and violent, while Soper was quiet. Rorlock looked at the knife and put it in the pocket of the second prisoner (Soper). Inspector Horspool described the charge scene, at which the party arrived at the morning. Huxtable was very calm looking this morning. He had drunk and very violent, while the second prisoner was quietly drunk. Soper, however, produced a small knife as one used by Huxtable, though the larger one was found concealed in his coat. Some trouble was given by the first prisoner as he had a special objection to being locked up. As the second prisoner had a tale of "Old Tom" in his pocket, the inspector thought it was prudent to look him up also, and when he searched the pockets he found concealed on him.

The third prisoner, who would discharge the second prisoner (Soper), but he appeared have wanted to Police, but the first prisoner (Huxtable) he would have to send to the Judge of the Supreme Court. His officerious offence to stop policemen in the street. Huxtable said that he knew nothing about the matter; but he was fully unimpaired for trial nevertheless, and Soper discharged.

A so-called barber named Wong Afook charged with the theft of a pillow-box, under the following circumstances, as detailed by Mr May by the complainant: A barber, in service of the subordinate Commissioner's office here, from Swatow in the Yewo, arrived in this vessel this morning. The passengers' luggage was taken together, and this escort-official happened to take his attention off and direct it something else, when he heard some talking about a pillow-box being taken away. Looking round, he was just in time to see the prisoner on the gangway and making with the said pillow-box in his hand. In fact, the thief was on his way to the Yewo, and was at once pursued by the complainant, and he went to the Police. A Chinese cook, who was under the impression that he belonged to the Mandarin's party, was also detained. Prisoner said that he had gone one of those numerous friends who came to congregate about vessels just before they sailed, and he had seen him carrying certain luggage, and accordingly he insisted in knowing the whereabouts of the box in question. Inspector Gray's evidence, however, was such as to justify different inference than that drawn from prisoner's statement. The Inspector knew this tendency to help other people himself, shown in the records of the case, had got him first one sentence of hard labour, and next six months' imprisonment, which latter sentence expired last August. Hence, there was the opportunity of assisting the prisoner and luggage-porter to one of sentences which are calculated to be in remembrance for some time, at by those more immediately concerned. Prisoner was sent to six months' hard labour, as ordered to find security in \$400 for twelve months thereafter (or 12 months' hard labour); and in consideration of prisoner's acquaintance with the Police and the court, his case will be recommended to the court for release to deportment from this Island of Fragrant Spring steamship-passengers' luggage.

A remanded perjury cases pending, fixed for hearing this morning in Tien Pak Foo and two others—witnesses against the men now under sentence of commission of the Sovekwan murder were further postponed until Monday the 9th.

Accusations case against Mr Otto Zaobach instance of Francisca Berger, defendant, was called-on. Neither party appearing, the summons was dismissed.

ARRIVAL OF THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The *P. and O. steamer Travancore*, Captain Estey, from Bombay 12th, G. 17th, Singapore 16th, and Penang 20th ultimo, bringing the London mails of 15 Oct., arrived at 11.30 this morning.

The amount of Bullion by the *Travancore* and *O. steamer* is in silver, to Hongkong £13,366.—The *Travancore* carries 10 chests of opium, of which 106 are for Hongkong, and 983 for Shanghai, and the late Bombay prices ranged at R. 1,365 to 1,390 per chest.

The British ship *Carmarthenshire*, 8 tons, Captain Doogie, from Foochow 18 Nov., bound to London, arrived in the roads yesterday (Nov. 24) dismasted, anchored outside, awaiting a tug, and came into the roads to-day.

From home papers to hand by the mail we learn that the *Andacoya*, a new armoured plated turret-ship, will be the flagship of the China squadron, in lieu of the *Glaspoin*. The *Ungewil* will shortly be despatched to India, with officers and crew for service under Sir Henry Kellet, in the *Ocean*; and will sail for England with the present crew of that vessel.

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

The following are the latest telegrams to hand per steamer *Travancore* dated London 23rd October.—The French Ministry has been considering some very important measures of finance. The Deputies who were to have left the Chamber in the morning have issued a manifesto against the manifestation of the 26th, and will quickly await the opening of the Chamber of Deputies on the 26th proximo.

Latest telegrams from Madrid state that the Spanish insurrection is considered to be terminated.

October 20th.—The Radical portion of the press in France have attacked the manifestation held by the chamber of Deputies.

The *Le Rappel* newspaper states that it has been determined to close the Chamber on the 26th October.

Latest advices state that the Empress Eugenie had gone from Alexandria on the 15th instant, and intelligence has been received that at Constantinople the Empress will have the most splendid reception from the Sublime Porte and the French Consuls.

22nd October.—The sum of £100,000 sterling has been withdrawn from the Bank of England to-day.

Latest advices from Berlin state that the Prussian Progress Party have proposed a resolution urging retrenchment of Military Expenditure, and negotiations for a general disarmament. A great French demonstration in favor of an amnesty to the Fenian prisoners took place yesterday at Hyde Park, and passed off quietly. The Right Hon. A. H. Layard, M.P., First Commissioner of Works, displaces Sir J. T. Fremantle as British Minister at Madrid.

23rd October.—Mr. J. P. Joint Secretary to the Admiralty, Sir Joseph M. P. de Launay, The French Consul at Paris has issued an order forbidding the citizens against assembling in the streets to-morrow.

23rd October.—The Earl of Derby expired at night at Knowsley.

26th October.—Mr. Stanfield, M. P. for Halifax, has accepted the office of Joint Secretary to the Treasury, vice Mr. Ayrton, P. appointed Chief Commissioner of Works.

The Great Eastern has sailed with the following Telegram Cable on board.

The Vice-Chancellor has dismissed with costs the petition for the winding up of the European Assurance Society, in consequence of his considering the insolvency of the company not sufficiently made out.

The condition of the Earl of Derby has improved at all improved. (Sic.)

Latest advices state the Cortes have suspended the sessions until summoned again.

25th October.—Latest Telegrams from Constantinople state that demonstrations occurred in the streets yesterday.

Latest advices from Constantinople state that a wide-spread conspiracy has commenced in Albania and Herzegovina, in connection with the Dalmatian insurrection.

The Crown Prince of Prussia has arrived at Constantinople.

Mr. Gladstone declines to release the Fenians now imprisoned, as such a step would be an interference with public security.

The British India Telegraph Company agreed to a resolution for connecting the British India line with the Pacific, the Mediterranean lines, and the Atlantic, by laying down a cable between Ceylon, Singapore, afterwards laying cables to Java and Australia.

31st October.—The creditors of the All-India Assurance Company have been ordered to lodge their claims before the 1st January 1870. The opposition to the appointment of Doctor Temple as Bishop of the Niger has been rebuffed. His objection to declining his episcopate, it being an engagement of the law, liberty of the Ministry of the Church.

October 28th.—The Spanish Deputies are discussing the candidature for the Throne.

October 29th.—The name of General Milne appears in the obituary of the week.

November, 3rd.—The following intelligence was received yesterday from the Persian Gulf Director (Friday night):—P. Island, Irish half of Cable laid and completed, all perfect. Continuation second cable, 100 miles. Leaves for Bombay immediately, 1st. Calcutta applied at half Sunday afternoon, second end out towards Basra.

COMMERCIAL.

2nd October.—The Liverpool cotton market closed quiet. In the coffee market prices are declining. Plantation Ceylon 52s. Native good ordinary 52s. Manchester market quiet and little doing. 84 lb. Shirtings 10s. 6d. 40s Twist 1s. 3d.

3rd October.—The cotton market closed quiet. The coffee market closed quiet.

Plantation Ceylon Middling 71s. Native good ordinary 51s. 6d.

4th October.—Week's sales of cotton 10 bales. Week's imports cotton 10 bales. Western Madras cotton closed.

The Liverpool cotton market closed quiet. The coffee market closed quiet.

Ordinary 50s. 7d. Shirtings 9s. 40s. Mule Twist 1s. 4d.

5th October.—The Liverpool cotton market closed firm and advancing.

Porter Bank Shares 24s.

Registered Mercantile Bank Shares 23s. 10p. Per cent. Paper 92.

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Galle, 17th November.—The Simla to Europe mail of 22nd ultimo arrived on 15th instant, and was immediately following by the *Shreef* from Calcutta. *Transacore* from Bombay anchored in harbour yesterday, and we are hourly expecting the mails from China.

(From the Home News, Oct. 22.)

TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY.

The Queen is still in Scotland, but Majesty is not to open Blackfriars Bridge at the Holborn Viaduct on Nov. 6.

The Prince of Wales is to visit Scotland in November.

The Spanish insurrection has been suppressed, not without bloodshed, and Cortes have thanked the forces that maintained faith.

The Empress of the French has concluded her visit to Constantinople.

Princes Metternich, the Austrian Minister at Paris, has been seriously wounded in a duel with Count de Bismarck.

The death of the Earl of Derby is hourly expected.

The Government have refused to receive the Fenian convict.

Mr. Grant Duff has delivered a speech on Elgin on the material resources of India.

Colonel Allgood, of the Bengal Staff Corps, has been appointed chief constable of Manchester.

Sir Gurdial Gilling Eardley has been charged at Guildhall with obtaining money under false pretences.

Mr. J. S. Mill has declined to be put in nomination for Tipperary by the Irish Tenant League.

Three lives have been lost by an explosion of the gunpowder works near Windsor.

Mr. Alcock is appointed Governor of St. Helena.

The opposition to Dr. Temple's appointment to the see of Exeter continues.

Very heavy gales have occurred on the North and North-east coasts, causing much damage and loss of life.

Marshal Bazine has been appointed to the command of the French Imperial Guard.

A partial re-construction of the Italian Ministry has taken place.

The Bridgewater and Norwich Election Commissions have adjourned; that of Beverley has resumed its sittings.

The new elections judges are Mellor, Byles, and Bramwell.

The National Reform Union has commenced the agitation of the Irish land question in England by public lectures.

Lieut.-Colonel Chambers has been appointed professor of Hindoostanee at Oxford.

There are only two candidates for the representation of Glasgow and Aberdeen University—Mr. Smith and Mr. Gordon.

Considerable discussion is taking place in the Press on the financial position of India.

A "Vagance Association" has been formed in London for ensuring general supervision over the conduct of the metropolitan police.

The demand for money is moderate at 2½ to 2 per cent.

The stock of gold in the Bank of England as fallen to £14,828,314, and that in the bank of France has increased to 40,097,000.

Consols 93½ to 93.

Bank and Mercantile Bills on Calcutta, Madras, and Bombay, at sight, 1s. 11½ and 60 days, 1s. 11½ and 1s. 11½.

Five per cent. Ropes Par. 105½ to 106½; Ditto, Five per cent. 110½ to 111.

India Five per cent. 114½ to 115.

Mr. Shipman, late manager of the Agricola Bank, has been released from prison on the ground of ill-health.

The petitions for the winding-up of the Ocean Assurance Society have been discontinued.

The Indian Railway Company have accepted the proposals of the Indian Government to construct a line from Conjeeveram to Cuddalore.

The tenders for Indian Council bills to £20,200 showed no change in the demand, no means remission. The next tenders (£200,000) are fixed for Nov. 3.

There is a very little demand for silver for the East.

Mr. Michau, the stockbroker, has been again remanded. The amount appropriated to his own use is alleged to be £24,000.

The charge preferred at the Marlborough-street Police-court against the directors of the Albert Assurance has been dismissed. Mr. Young and Mr. Price are appointed liquidators.

A company, of which Mr. Massey is chairman, is being formed to lay a submarine cable between Ceylon and Singapore, with a view of extensions hereafter to China, Australia, and the Dutch settlements.

It is being further made appear in the obituary of the week.

In her Majesty's Indian Service; Surgeon-General G. O. Okeby, Bengal Medical Service; Surgeon-General H. Cooper, Bengal Medical Service.

Miscellaneous: The Earl of Kingston; The Hon. John, Q.C.—Lady E. Wells.—The Hon. J. H. Jones—Edward Walsh.

THE EARL OF DERBY.

The Earl of Derby is still alive, but in a state of unconsciousness which has lasted greater part of the week. The vital powers may sustain the patient for some time longer, but the prostration is too great to permit the hope of even a rally, much less of recovering; and the final issue may be very distant. The Countess of Derby, her personal attendant, and the Earl's private secretary, are watching and nursing him with the most anxious tenderness. The Countess of Derby, in addition to her ladyship, Lord Stanley, Lady Constance Villiers, and Captain Stanley, are hardly ever absent from the Earl's bedside. Inquiries as to his lordship's condition continue to be received at Knowlton from various quarters, showing the general and interest felt in the condition of the sufferer.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Mr. Edward Lee, attended by Mr. St. George, as counsel, made an application to the High-street Police Court, for fresh assignment of the directors of the Albert Assurance. The magistrate, however, said he would not grant the writ unless applied for by some bona fide shareholder or policy-holder. He did not consider Mr. Lee came under this category, and refused the application.

The other batch of her Majesty's steamers put up for sale at public auction on the 21st, at Lloyd's Captains' Rooms. The first vessel offered was the gun-vessel *Ranunculus*, lying at Sheerness. She is described as 427 tons builders' measurement, of wood, built at Deptford, in 1859, having a crew of 80-borne power. She was knocked down for £1735. The next was the gun-vessel *Burly*, also lying at Sheerness; she was built at Newcastle.

The iron screws storeship *Dromedary*, at Sheerness. She was knocked down £5100. The next was the screw corvette *Mallaca*, lying at the royal dockyard, Portsmouth; 1054 tons, principally built there, in her Majesty's dockyard at Portsmouth in 1853. The bindings offered ranged from £7000 to £7800. The reserve price on ship was £12,000, and the vessel bought in.

Mr G. Sholto Douglas Murray, M.A., senior student of Christ Church, Oxford, and son of the vicar of Bromsgrove, has been appointed tutor and governor of Prince Hassan, son of the Viceroy of Egypt, who has just commenced his residence at the University of Oxford.

The Beverly Election Commissioners having a troublesome time of it. They on October 21 at the Sessions-house, instead of the Town-hall, in consequence of the refusal of the police to act on their orders the previous day, to remove Sergeant Sleight. Two men called as witnesses deposed to be sworn, on the ground that enough evidence had been given already. The Commissioners ordered them to be taken into custody and sentenced them to two months' imprisonment in York Castle in contempt.

At Guildhall, on Oct. 21, Sir Eardley Gibson Girdling Buxley, Bart., was charged before Alderman Finnis with obtaining various sums of money by false pretences. Frederick Humphries said he was a carpenter, manufacturing on business at No. 3, King Edward Street, and he first became acquainted with the prisoner at Southwark railway station on Sunday afternoon last, came up to him and said, "Do you know how Lord Derby is?" and he replied, "No," but I can find out by telegraphing to Fingleton." The prisoner said he knew Colonel Balbot, and he was anxious to "know how Lord Derby was." He invited witness to go to the hotel, the Prince Alfred, in Southwark, and he did so. In the course of conversation the prisoner found out that witness had a house at Southwark, and he said he was going to buy a large mansion from Mr. Chater, of the London Tavern, and he was going to get it through Messrs. Jackson and Graham, of Oxford Street, where were large customers of his. They went to his house, and he introduced the prisoner to some of his friends. On the following day, in the afternoon, the prisoner called at his office in the city and said he wanted some money. He asked that his bank was the London and County, at Peterborough, and asked witness to exchange a cheque for £20 with him, which he did. On Sunday the prisoner told him that he was Lieutenant Colonel Lefevre, and the cheque produced for £20 he wrote in witness's presence, signed it "H. C. Lefevre." Witness paid the cheque into his bankers, and it was returned to him unpaid. Walter Moss Walter said he was clerk in the country department of the London and County Bank. They had no branch at Peterborough, but they were agents to the Midland Bank, which had a branch there. Alderman Finnis remanded the prisoner.

TROOPS FOR CHINA AND THE STRAITS.

The *Ellenborough* sailed from Gravesend on the 10th instant, with the following detachments of troops for China and the Straits Settlements—70 non-commissioned officers and men, 7 soldiers' wives, and 6 children; 70th Regiment's 9 non-commissioned officers and gunners of the Royal Artillery; and 1 man and a woman of the Army Hospital Corps, for Singapore; 30 non-commissioned officers, 9 children, 9 soldiers' wives, and 9 children of the 70th Regiment from Shortmoor, 14 men of the Royal Artillery from Woolwich, 1 company of the Royal Engineers, for Hongkong; the following officers embarked with the troops: Captain Michael John Houston, Royal Artillery, in command of the troops; and Ensign Robert Hawker, 70th Regiment, for Hongkong; Lieutenant John Hume Hart, Royal Artillery; Ensign Reginald B. Ryder, Ensign Philip P. Walker, and Ensign Henry Hard Mathias, 70th Regiment, for Singapore; all while under the medical charge of Surgeon Assistant Frederick Turner, of the *London and China Express*, 22nd Oct.

THE PROPOSED COLONIAL CONGRESS.

In our issue of Aug. 27 we announced that Mr Youle, Mr. Blaine and Mr. Phillips, three well-known and influential Colonists, had addressed a public circular to the number of our colonies, calling attention to some points in the system of government by which they are at present connected with the mother-country, and inviting the Colonial Governments to send delegates to meet in each year to discuss the subject in detail. The point suggested for debate was the practical utility of a confederation of the various outlying parts of empire into one homogeneous body, and have been received promising attendance of a large body of delegates. He proposed conference; an influential committee has been formed in town to see the necessary arrangements; and Lord Salisbury, we understand, agreed to become president of the committee on the condition which Mr. Youle and his associates distinctly asserted that the management of the Congress if it elected to do so, and that further action might be taken should be done as possible, in concert with Her Majesty's Government.—*Ibid.*

A young lady who was rebuked by her father for kissing her intended, justified said by quoting the passage, "Whatsoever ye shall do: that men should do unto you even so to them."

SIR ROLPHES OF THE HARVARDS.—An aspect casted simultaneously upon Sir Rolphes and the Harvard race, thus metaphors—"The Harvard race, are indeed, not an eclipse; but the luminous and like corona of their irreproachable lineage is resplendently visible."

A story is told of two Yorkshiremen who walked together three days in a stage-coach without a word ever passing between them. On the fourth day one of them ventured to observe that it was a weary journey. "And who said it wasn't?" he replied. "The responsibility—Dressing-shy."

A merry for a bottle of hair-dye—Keep yourself wrangler—A wife older than herself—a square meal be made off.

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and rates of PASSAGE MONEY. Hints, or recommendations to travellers, giving particulars of OUTFIT and mode of proceeding to the less frequented settlements are also included, combined with notes, DEPARTURES MARITIME AND MONETARY. In addition to furnishing smaller particulars, the Section devoted to HONGKONG contains an historical sketch forming a chronological summary of the chief events which have occupied public attention between 1841 and 1860, including POLITICAL EVENTS CHANGES IN THE GOVERNMENT SERVICE, the passing of important ORDINANCES, the ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF EMIGRANTS RESIDENTS, a record of the most notable CRIMES; ROBBERIES; MURDERS; FRAUDS; PLAGUES AND CRIMINAL TRIALS; ADDRESSSES AND PROCEEDINGS &c., &c.

The appendix contained full tables of the P. & O. AND MESSENGER'S Companies' LINES OF THE PACIFIC MAIL COMPANY, and STEAM HORSE LINE, of steamers; POLYGLOTS, TABLES OF DISTANCES between KORO and China and the Chinese ports. It also includes a CATALOGUE of over 440 works published in the English language upon "China and Japan," while a copious INDEX at the end of the work affords a ready means of reference to the reader.

The foregoing work contains the following Maps and Plans several hitherto unpublished, viz., Hongkong (General Map), Hongkong (City of Victoria), Canton, Macao, Swatow, Amoy, Foochow, Formosa, Zelandia, Ningpo, and Tientsin; Port Zealandia, Ningpo, Yangtze River, Shanghai (general map), British settlements in Shanghai, Nanking, Tientsin to Tungking, Cheow, Lung Chow to Peking; Peking to Kagofo, (Chinese), Japanese Islands, Nagasaki, Nagasaki (harbour and neighbourhood), Yokohama, Yokohama and Kanagawa, Kobe, Hakodadi, an account of the Coast of Japan, and a chart shewing the Ocean steam route of the world.

J. G. WATSON,
London.

December 27, 1867.

**THE "TREATY PORTS OF CHINA
& JAPAN," AND "NOTES AND
QUERIES ON CHINA AND JAPAN."**

EXTRACTS FROM REVIEWS.

(From the "Straits Times," July 19, 1868.)

Some time ago we had occasion to remark upon the progress that Literature as represented by the Press had made. But in looking in the East, and our attention has been called to the subject by the receipt of a Hongkong publication. With surprise, some notice and which we have much pleasure in introducing to the knowledge of our readers. We allude to "Notes and Queries on China and Japan," published recently by Mr. Saito, the proprietor of the "Mitsui Bussan Kaisha" newspaper. This publication is well printed on good paper, and its shape is very like its well-known name or prototype at home, and is equally as one containing very curious and useful information regarding the language, literature, history, manners, and customs of the Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese. It says a good deal for the extent and quality of the footing of European nations, that such a publication as this should be established and conducted with apparently successful vigour.

The publication is altogether a very interesting one, and wishing it every success, we commend it to the attention and support of our readers.

(From the "Friend of India," June 2, 1868.)

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt from the numbers for the current month of "Notes and Queries," a most deserving Chinese monthly, edited by MR. DEMPSEY, whose "Treaty Ports of China and Japan" are so well known. From the extracts attached to the "Notes," we can see that the illustrations include many of the Chinese scholars in the East. Information is not confined to China alone, but of valuable assistance to all who labour in the directed their attention towards the objects of Buddhism and its literature, and generally to all who are interested in Oriental antiquities. It deserves to be better known in India.

(From the "London Examiner," May 16, 1868.)

This really useful volume ["Treaty Ports of China and Japan"] is intended as a guide for travellers and residents in China, Japan, and as a book of reference for students, men generally. It contains an ample, historical and political of all the Treaty-Ports of these countries, together with Yedo, Hongkong, and Macao. It was carefully compiled and edited by Mr. Saito, and the laboriousness plain, with the elaborate maps, considerably enhance its value.

We have thus given in outline a brief of the more prominent portions of the character of the Catalogue, as a specimen of the volume. Other chapters treating of Corea, Formosa, Ningpo, Shanghai, and remainder of the treaty-ports, we cannot enumerate. The pages describing the capital, are so interesting, and contain so much that is new to Europeans respecting its history, public buildings, and general characteristics, that we cannot attempt to do our contents. Comprehensive and intelligible plan of the Imperial City and neighbourhood, gives us an adequate notion of the relative position of the various divisions, streets, and places.

The introductory chapter to the notices of the Treaty Ports of Japan will be found concise history of that Empire, together with remarks on its government, geography, climate, which will be found particularly interesting, showing a considerable light upon the part of the world so long unknown to Europeans. Descriptions of the Treaty Ports of Japan, are as elaborate and complete as those of the Chinese ports. A glossary and a useful appendix containing many and much appropriate advice to travellers and others, is also included in the work. The entire work affords vast amount of information, pleasantly written, we doubt not will be perused with interest, by many who will never visit the Eastern seas.

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sale by CHARLES A. SAIT.

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HONGKONG.

Exclusive of Arrivals, Departures and Clearances reported to-day.

Vessel's Name and Where Bound or Anchored.	Captain.	Flag and Reg.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Despatch.
1899.							
Aden	W O Hooking	Brit. str.	812	Nov. 27	P. & O. S. N. Co		
Algeria	W O Hooking	Foh. str.	600	Dec. 1	P. & O. S. N. Co		
Amoy	W O Gossell	Foh. str.	1689	Nov. 14	Messageries Impériales	Swatow, do.	
Annapolis	W O Swanson	Russ. str.	840	Nov. 27	Gibb, Livingston & Co		
Annamore	McKenzie	Bass. str.	240	Nov. 24	Landstein & Co		
Douglas	W C Poppin	Brit. str.	615	Nov. 29	Douglas Laiprak & Co		
Penang	W O Dupatel	Brit. str.	753	Nov. 15	Douglas Laiprak & Co	Swatow, do.	5th, 8 a.m.
Ambondonnai	W O Dupatel	Foh. str.	900	Nov. 6	Messageries Impériales	Yokohama	To-morrow
Malacca	W O Bernard	Brit. str.	1800	Nov. 28	P. & O. S. N. Co		
Manila	W O Bennett	Amer. str.	679	Dec. 3	Augustine Heard & Co		
Narvaez	W C Serra	Span. str.	700	Nov. 26	Spanish Consul		
Sonoma	W O Lockie	Brit. str.	969	Nov. 8	P. & O. S. N. Co	East Coast	To-morrow
Shanghai	W O Aitken	Russ. str.	624	Nov. 28	Landstein & Co	Bombay	To-morrow
United Service	E Tough	Brit. str.	650	Sept. 22	Wm. Pustau & Co	Freight or Charter	
United Service	W O Gaine	Brit. str.	777	Dec. 22	Borneo Company	Shanghai	To-day 2 p.m.
United Service	W O Gaine	Imperial str.	677	Dec. 1	Augustine Heard & Co	Shanghai	
SAILING VESSELS.							
Amoy	W M. J. J.	Brit. bk.	782	Nov. 21	Jardine, Matheson & Co	Yokohama	
Amoy	W Santos	Port. sch.	360	Nov. 17	J. A. de Almeida & Co		
Amoy	W Malling	Norw. bk.	400	Nov. 17	John Burd & Co		
Amoy	W Grant	Brit. bk.	316	Nov. 25	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Amoy	W Peters	N. Ger. bk.	399	Nov. 25	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Amoy	W Peters	N. Ger. sch.	134	Nov. 11	E. Schellhas & Co		
Amoy	Kindred	Brit. bk.	526	October 30	Douglas Laiprak & Co	Freight or Charter	
Amoy	E Todd	Brit. bk.	698	Nov. 9	John Burd & Co		
Amoy	W Fleischer	Siam. bk.	208	Nov. 16	Chinese		
Amoy	E Muirhead	Brit. sh.	992	Nov. 13	Gibb, Livingston & Co		
Amoy	W Schroder	Siam. bg.	300	Nov. 28	Chinese		
Amoy	W Sachse	Brit. bk.	495	Nov. 19	Chinese		
Amoy	W Astorquia	Salv. sh.	850	Nov. 28	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Amoy	W O Jensen	Dan. bg.	1191	Nov. 26	Bourjau, Hubner & Co		
Amoy	E Jensen	N. Ger. bk.	897	Nov. 17	Bourjau, Hubner & Co	Nagasaki	
Amoy	W Eughan	N. Ger. bk.	285	Nov. 19	A. G. Hogg & Co		
Amoy	Burkeford	N. Ger. bk.	296	Nov. 24	Wm. Pustau & Co	Yokohama	put back
Amoy	W Abano	Spain. bg.	184	January 30	Ramondos & Co		
Amoy	W Ariste	Span. bk.	385	Sept. 3	Ramondos & Co		
Amoy	W Rose	Brit. bk.	899	Nov. 13	A. G. Hogg & Co	Foochow	
Amoy	W Young	Brit. bk.	244	October 4	P. & Metta	Yokohama	
Amoy	W Friedrichs	N. Ger. bk.	712	October 23	Olyphant & Co	New York	Immediate
Amoy	W Bruce	Brit. bk.	637	Nov. 13	John Burd & Co		
Amoy	W Matthews	Brit. bk.	405	Dec. 9	Thomas Howard		
Amoy	W Hagberg	Swed. bk.	218	Nov. 29	Bourjau, Hubner & Co		
Amoy	W O Alder	N. Ger. bk.	940	Nov. 24	E. Schellhas & Co		
Amoy	W Wardle	Brit. bk.	382	Nov. 18	Bourjau, Hubner & Co	Singapore	
Amoy	W O Nobbs	Brit. bk.	404	Nov. 19	Bourjau, Hubner & Co		
Amoy	W Koppelman	N. Ger. bk.	356	Nov. 23	Bourjau, Hubner & Co		
Amoy	W Jamieson	Brit. bk.	384	Nov. 8	Order	Saigon	
Amoy	W Turkic	Foh. sh.	658	Nov. 27	Order	Saigon	
Amoy	W Poutane	Foh. bg.	307	Nov. 21	Landstein & Co	Saigon	
Amoy	E Fraser	Brit. bk.	416	October 27	Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Amoy	E Cameron	Brit. sh.	464	Nov. 19	Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Amoy	W Duesosen	Brit. bk.	342	Nov. 25	Chinese		
Amoy	W Peterson	Amer. bk.	980	Nov. 10	Russell & Co		
Amoy	W Nickise	Belg. sh.	803	January 6	Borneo Company	Peru	
Amoy	W Klindt	Siam. bk.	480	Nov. 26	Chinese		
Amoy	E Lamb	Brit. bk.	505	October 7	A. G. Hogg & Co		
Amoy	W O Grun	N. Ger. bk.	118	Nov. 22	E. Schellhas & Co		
Amoy	W O Schierhold	N. Ger. sch.	118	Nov. 22	E. Schellhas & Co		
Amoy	W O Groenewold	N. Ger. bk.	400	Nov. 9	Wm. Pustau & Co	Tientsin	
Amoy	W Ordman	Dut. sch.	544	Dec. 2	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Amoy	W Hicks	Brit. sh.	679	Nov. 2	Gibb, Livingston & Co	Singapore	
Amoy	W Baroel	Span. bg.	240	Sept. 26	Benedicos & Co	Manila	
Amoy	E Bonifacio	Brit. sh.	965	Nov. 5	Jardine, Matheson & Co	Freight or Charter	
Amoy	W Fransen	N. Ger. bk.	873	Nov. 22	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Amoy	W Mayboom	Dut. bk.	312	Nov. 14	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Amoy	E Drewas	N. Ger. bk.	600	Nov. 12	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Amoy	Forestry	Amer. sh.	983	October 16	Landstein & Co		
Amoy	E Dickson	Brit. bk.	402	Nov. 4	E. Schellhas & Co	Whampoa	& New York
Amoy	E Hunter	Brit. sh.	838	October 28	R. S. Walker & Co	Saigon	To-day
Amoy	W Conrad	N. Ger. bk.	238	Dec. 3	Melchers & Co	Shanghai	
Amoy	E Raben	N. Ger. bg.	232	Nov. 29	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Amoy	W Rickert	N. Ger. bk.	380	Dec. 1	Stjenssen & Co		
Amoy	W O Watson	Brit. bk.	547	Nov. 14	Jardine, Matheson & Co	Bangkok	To-day
Amoy	E Schultz	N. Ger. bg.	204	Nov. 7	E. Schellhas & Co	Amoy	
Amoy	W Jessen	N. Ger. bk.	280	Nov. 17	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Amoy	W Swain	Amer. sh.	547	Nov. 13	Augustine Heard & Co		
Amoy	W Molson	N. Ger. bk.	345	Nov. 29	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Amoy	W Puhlmann	Brit. bk.	307	Nov. 28	Thomas Howard		
Amoy	W Brown	Brit. sh.	509	Nov. 10	Captain		
Amoy	E Watson	Brit. bk.	309	Nov. 22	Russell & Co	San Francisco	put back
Amoy	N. Ger. bg.	151	Nov. 23	Wm. Pustau & Co			
Amoy	W O Wulbrand	Dut. bg.	337	Nov. 21	Order	Amoy	To-day
Amoy	W Stokkuzers	Dut. bg.	337	Nov. 21	Order		
Amoy	W Holm	Dan. bk.	378	Nov. 28	Olyphant & Co		
Amoy	Brit. sh.	892	Nov. 11	Russell & Co	San Francisco	Early	
Amoy	W Lewis	Brit. bk.	330	Nov. 8	Landstein & Co	Yokohama	
Amoy	W Peters	Brit. sh.	500	Nov. 14	Borneo Company	Saigon	
Amoy	W Jorgenson	Siam. bk.	424	Nov. 7	Chinese		
Amoy	W Clough	Amer. sh.	812	Nov. 22	Augustine Heard & Co		
Amoy	W O Clough	Span. sch.	596	October 23	Arnhold, Karberg & Co		
Amoy	W O Clough	Span. sch.	269	Nov. 29	H. Cohen		
Amoy	W O Clough	N. Ger. bk.	738	Nov. 27	Wm. Pustau & Co	Yokohama	put back
Amoy	W Haje	N. Ger. bk.	221	Nov. 11	Melchers & Co		
Amoy	E Nelson	Brit. bk.	464	Nov. 26	Chinese	Singapore	
Amoy	W Jones	Brit. bk.	267	Nov. 10	Captain		
Amoy	W Bonnetta	Foh. bk.	400	Nov. 16	Chinese		
Amoy	W Zetelund	Siam. sch.	150	Nov. 17	Chinese		
Amoy	W Gertna	Span. bk.	430	Nov. 23	Benedicos & Co		
Amoy	W Finch	Brit. sh.	718	August 22	Kwok Acheung		
Amoy	W Klein	Brit. sch.	444	October 10	Olyphant & Co		
Amoy	W Rose	Foh. sh.	443	October 22	Frieder Degenar		
Amoy	W Nutt	Brit. bk.	408	Nov. 8	Landstein & Co		
Amoy	K Hensworth	Brit. sh.	749	Nov. 19	Holliday, Wise & Co		
Amoy	W Hawood	Brit. sh.	1112	Nov. 28	Augustine Heard & Co	New York	Immediate
Amoy	W Whyte	Brit. sh.	600	Nov. 30	Captain		
Amoy	W Wisers	Siam. sh.	750	Dec. 3	Chinese		
Amoy	W O Soule	Amer. bk.	640	Nov. 27	Olyphant & Co		
Amoy	W Seymour	Amer. bk.	695	Nov. 2	Russell & Co		
Amoy	W Thompson	Amer. sh.	1176	Sept. 2	Augustine Heard & Co		
Amoy	W Arinaton	Brit. bk.	345	October 30	A. G. Hogg & Co	Saigon	
Amoy	W Saljo	Siam. sh.	604	June 14	Chinese		
Amoy	W Carloe	Siam. bk.	429	October 11	Chinese		
Amoy	W Valentin	Dan. bk.	264	Nov. 11	E. Schellhas & Co	Bangkok	To-day
Amoy	W Valder	Brit. bk.	307	Nov. 11	Arner & Co		
Amoy	W Nielson	Swed. bk.	575	Nov. 15	Frieder Degenar	Channel f. o. Yokokama	Immediate
Amoy	W Watt	Brit. sch.	204	Nov. 27	Arnhold, Karberg & Co		
Amoy	W O Thompson	Amer. sh.	1181	Nov. 17	Order		
Amoy	W O Thompson	Span. bg.	1270	August 30	Ramondos & Co	Manila	
Amoy	W O Thompson	Span. bk.	402	Nov. 27	Brandos & Co		
Amoy	W O Thompson	N. Ger. sch.	150	Nov. 27	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Amoy	W O Thompson	Brit. bk.	697	Nov. 26	E. Schellhas & Co		
Amoy	W O Thompson	Span. bk.	490	Nov. 16	Kirchner Beger & Co	Manila	
Amoy	W O Thompson	N. Ger. bk.	215	Nov. 30	Bourjau, Hubner & Co		
Amoy	W O Thompson	Brit. bk.	669	October 16	Bourjau, Hubner & Co		
Amoy	E Mullin	Amer. sh.	1000	July 6	Augustine Heard & Co	Saigon	
Amoy	W Watson	Brit. sh.	527	October 3	Khoja Jewray Purdy & Co	San Francisco	Early
Amoy	W O Probyn	Brit. bk.	226	Nov. 19	Arnhold, Karberg & Co	Bombay	
Amoy	W O Loyseau	Foh. bk.	479	Nov. 30	Captain		
Amoy	W O Loyseau	Siam. sh.	534	Nov. 16	Chinese		
Amoy	E Bollo	Ital. sh.	1094	Oct. 26	Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Amoy	W Fowler	Brit. sh.	1050	October 23	Gibb, Livingston & Co		
Amoy	W O Collins	Brit. sh.	383	Nov. 10	Chinese		
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Allos	Schuck	N. Ger. sch.	230	Nov. 30	Wm. Fustan & Co		
Ararat	Spencer	Amer. nh.	1037	October 17	Olyphant & Co	Europe	
Clan Alpine	Hutchison	Brit. str.	945	October 30	Jardine, Matheson & Co	New York	Early
Daylight	Patco	Brit. sh.	629	October 27	Gilman & Co		
James Shepherd	Levan	Brit. sh.	550	Nov. 11	Turner & Co		
Manila	Roldan	Span. str.	519	Sept. 29	Laudstein & Co	Channel f. o. London	Early
Marques de la Victoria	Arrop	Span. str.	1200	Dec. 3	Spanish Consul		Early
Medina	Fouura	Brit. bk.	357	Dec. 1	Order		
Ocean Bride	Thalland	Brit. bk.	333	Sept. 3	Chimsee		
Petchelee	Owen	Brit. bk.	350	Nov. 13	Gilman & Co		
Piccola	Kroll	N. Ger. bk.	200	Nov. 30	Simsen & Co	London	Immediate
Rona*	Hutchison	Brit. str.	784	Nov. 30	Wm. Fustan & Co	Ningpo	
Royal Diadem	Thomas	Brit. bk.	478	Nov. 22	Gibb, Livingston & Co	Shanghai	

* At Canton.

<i>Destination.</i>	<i>Vessel's Name.</i>	<i>Flag & Reg.</i>	<i>Consignees.</i>
CHINA & JAPAN PORTS—			
NINGPO	Picciolo ^s	N. Ger. bk.	Niemssen & Co
FOOCHOW	Diamond	Brit. bk.	A. H. Hogg & Co
SHANGHAI	Henry Reed	Brit. sh.	R. S. Walker & Co
TIENTSIN	Georgia	N. Ger. sch. bk.	Schellhaas & Co
YAGASAKI	Gay & Jane	N. Ger. bk.	Bourjau, Hubener & Co
YOKOHAMA	Don Pedro II	Brit. bk.	P. A. Metta
Do.	Aggie M	N. Ger. bk.	Jardine, Matheson & Co
Do.	Colima	N. Ger. bk.	Wm. Fraser & Co
Do.	Emeralda	N. Ger. bk.	Jardine, Matheson & Co
Do.	Lais	Brit. bk.	Brandao & Co
Do.	Rosalie	Swed. bk.	Frederic Degener
OTHER PORTS—			
LONDON	Petehole ^s	Brit. bk.	Gillman & Co
Do.	J. Shepherd *	Brit. sh.	Turner & Co
CHANNEL	Daylight	Brit. sh.	Gillman & Co
Do.	River End	Brit. bk.	Turner & Co
EUROPE	Aliso ^s	N. Ger. sch.	Wm. Fraser & Co
NEW YORK	Dr. Peterman	N. Ger. bk.	Orphanst & Co
Do.	Syracuz *	Amer. sh.	Orphanst & Co
Do.	O. Cromwell	Brit. sh.	Augustine Heard & Co
Do.	Haze *	Amer. sh.	Russell & Co
SAN FRANCISCO	Sumatra	Amer. sh.	Augustine Heard & Co
Do.	Lady Bowen	Brit. sh.	Russell & Co
Do.	Jewess	Brit. bk.	Russell & Co
BOMBAY	Summer Cloud	Brit. sh.	Khoja Jewray Purbhoy
SINGAPORE	Emulation	Brit. bk.	Bourjau, Hubener & Co
Do.	Cleopatra	Brit. sh.	Gibb, Livingston & Co
Do.	M. M. Nelson	Spain.	bk. Captain
MANILA	San Lorenzo	Spain.	bk. Captain
PERU	Frederic	Belg.	vg. Remedios & Co
SAIGON	Evelyn Wood	Brit. bk.	Borneo Company
Do.	Felix	Fuh. bk.	Landstein & Co
Do.	Ferdade	Brit. bk.	Jardine, Matheson & Co
Do.	Henry Miller	Brit. bk.	S. Schellhaas & Co
Do.	Lieutenant	Brit. bk.	Borneo Company

* At Whampoa.

† At Canton.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Flag.</i>	<i>Rig.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Gun.</i>	<i>H. P.</i>	<i>Commander.</i>
Algerine	British	gun boat	299	3	60	H. R. E. Grey
Annear	British	gun boat	230	3	60	Rodney Lloyd, Lieut. Comr.
Blackhafer	British	gun boat	230	3	60	S. S. Smith, Lieut. Comr.
Clawaire	U. States	flag ship	3277	18		Earl English
Cupleix	H. L. M. S.	steam sloop	1340	12		—, Lisper
Cramer	British	Naval hospital	230			Attached to Melville
Croquels	U. States	steam sloop	1000	6		R. L. Low
Cumee	U. S.	gun boat	593	5		W. B. Cushing, Lt. Comr.
Cedusa	N. Germ.	steam corvette	980	13		—, Straben
Ceanee	British	Military h'pital	2591			Hospital ship
Civilite	British	Naval hospital				R. Pottinger, Dep. Insp. GL
Cledge	British	gun boat	464	4	120	C. C. Rising
Cerve	H. I. M. S.	steam frigate	3000			Mandet
Cress Charlotte	British	flag ship	2448	14		Commodore Jones
Cleman	British	surveying ship	486	3	100	For Sale
Cualdo	British	steam sloop	951	7	200	C. B. Robinson
Curling	British	gun boat	234	3	60	C. O. Crowley, Lieut. Comr.
Curus	H. I. M. S.	steam sloop	3500	26		—, Veron

Chinese	gun vessel	221	7	Godwill
Chinese	gun vessel	221	7	Edwards
Chinese	gun boat	221	4	Bessard
Chinese	gun boat	221	7	Denise
Chinese	gun boat	221	5	Francis
Chinese	gunboat lorchas	180	6	Pointer
Chinese	gun boat	180	6	Stewart
Chinese	gun boat	180	6	de Longueville

RIVER STEAMERS.				
Vessel.	Flag.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners or Agents.
John	British	117		P. & O. S. N. Co
g, (110 h. power)	Do.	117	Stephenson	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Dart	Do.	350		H., O. and M. Steam-bost C ^y pany
Shan	Do.	456	Cary	H., O. & M. Steam-bost Co.
Kiang	Do.	617	Tiebaud	H. O' & M. Steam-bost Co.
in	Do.	69		Ashcroft
Orphan	Do.	46	Benning	Union Dock Company's Tug.
eng	Do.	379		H., O. and M. Steam-bost C ^y pany
Albert	Do.	180		Q. Ashcroft
Jessebbotyk	Do.	101		Q. Ashcroft
k	Amer.	149	Wilson	Thomas Hunt & Co
	Do.		Graves	Thomas Hunt & Co
Cloud	British	280	Carroll	H., O. and M. Steam-bost C ^y pany

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